



Department of the Interior  
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service  
**Form 3-186A**

**MIGRATORY BIRD ACQUISITION AND DISPOSITION**  
**REPORT**

Please see reverse for instructions

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Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

1	<b>SPECIES:</b> _____ <b>USFWS Band Number:</b> _____ <b>Sex:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <b>Source:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Captive-bred <input type="checkbox"/> Wild <b>Age:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Nestling <input type="checkbox"/> Immature <input type="checkbox"/> Adult <b>Year of Hatch:</b> _____
2	<b>SENDER</b> (person transferring bird) <b>USFWS Permit No.:</b> _____ <b>Name:</b> _____ <b>Date of Transfer (or other action):</b> _____ <b>Address:</b> _____ <b>City:</b> _____ <b>State:</b> _____ <b>Zip:</b> _____ <b>USFWS Permit Type:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Falconry <input type="checkbox"/> Raptor Propagation <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <b>If a Transfer:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Gift <input type="checkbox"/> Sale <input type="checkbox"/> Loan <b>If Release or Loss:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Release <input type="checkbox"/> Escape <input type="checkbox"/> Theft <input type="checkbox"/> Death (Cause of Death: _____ )
3	<b>RECIPIENT</b> (person acquiring bird) <b>USFWS Permit No.:</b> _____ <b>Name:</b> _____ <b>Date of Acquisition:</b> _____ <b>Address:</b> _____ <b>City:</b> _____ <b>State:</b> _____ <b>Zip:</b> _____ <b>USFWS Permit Type:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Falconry <input type="checkbox"/> Raptor Propagation <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <b>Type of Acquisition:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Gift <input type="checkbox"/> Purchase <input type="checkbox"/> Loan <input type="checkbox"/> Capture/Recapture (complete section 4)
4	<b>CAPTURE OR RECAPTURE</b> (bird taken from the wild; provide band number in Section 1) <input type="checkbox"/> Capture <input type="checkbox"/> Recapture For all species, County (or comparable subdivision) and State of trapping location: _____ For peregrine falcon nestlings, provide either (a) name of local area (e.g., Bald Mt.), and mileage and direction from nearest town, or (b) latitude and longitude (degrees, minutes, and seconds): _____ If you captured a gyrfalcon, what color is it? <input type="checkbox"/> Grey <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown (Nestling)
5	<b>RE-BANDING</b> (to report the re-banding of a wild or captive-bred bird) <b>Old Number:</b> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Seamless Metal <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Black Plastic <b>New Number:</b> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Yellow Plastic <input type="checkbox"/> Black Plastic
6	<b>CERTIFICATION.</b> I certify that the information submitted above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that making a false statement may subject me to the criminal penalties of 18 U.S.C. 1001. <b>Print name:</b> _____ <b>Phone Number (with area code):</b> _____ <b>Signature:</b> _____ <b>Date:</b> _____

## INSTRUCTIONS

This form must be completed for each transfer, acquisition, release, loss, or rebanding of a migratory bird held under your permit. You must submit it to the appropriate U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service office within 5 days of the activity.

1.

<b>If you have</b>	<b>then you must complete sections</b>
transferred a bird to another permittee (or to another permit you hold),	1, 2, 3, and 6.
released a bird or lost a bird due to its escape, theft, or death,	1, 2, and 6.
acquired a bird from another permittee,	1, 2, 3, and 6.
captured a bird from the wild or recaptured a previously captive (banded) bird,	1, 3, 4, and 6.
re-banded a bird, either wild or captive-bred, for which the band was lost or removed,	1, 2, 5, and 6.

2. Retain the pink copy of the completed form, mail the blue copy to your State permit office, and mail the original and the white copy to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Migratory Bird Permit Office responsible for your State.

<b>USFWS Region</b>	<b>Area of Responsibility</b>	<b>Migratory Bird Permit Office Mailing Address</b>
1	California, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, Oregon, Washington, Pacific Island Territories	911 N.E. 11 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Portland, OR 97232-4181 (503) 872-2715
2	Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas	P.O. Box 709 Albuquerque, NM 87103 (505) 248-7882
3	Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Ohio, Wisconsin	One Federal Drive Ft. Snelling, MN 55111-4056 (612) 713-5436
4	Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands	P.O. Box 49208 Atlanta, GA 30359 (404) 679-7070
5	Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia	P.O. Box 779 Hadley, MA 01035-0779 (413) 253-8643
6	Colorado, Kansas, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming	P.O. Box 25486, DFC Denver, CO 80225-0486 (303) 236-8171
7	Alaska	1011 East Tudor Road (MS 201) Anchorage, AK 99503 (907) 786-3693

### Notice

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